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Request For Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal Address to: Commissioner for Patents Box RCE P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Fax no.: (703) 872-9306	Application No. :	09/849,132
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This is a **Request for Continued Examination (RCE)** under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application.

1. Submission required under 37 CFR § 1.114.

a. **Previously submitted**

() Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 CFR 1.116 previously filed on _____
 () Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____

b. **Enclosed**

(X) Preliminary Amendment in 6 pages.
 () Other _____

2. Miscellaneous

a. () Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 CFR 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months.
 b. () Associate Power of Attorney.

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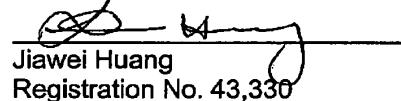
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Basic Fee					\$ 770	\$ 770
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Independent Claims	1	MINUS	3	= 0 x	\$ 86	= \$ 0
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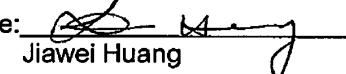
i. RCE fee required under 37 CFR 1.17(e)
ii. Extension of time fee (37 CFR 1.136 and 1.17).

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